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| <b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b><br><b>FY 2009</b><br><i>(Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)</i>  |            | Docket Number (Optional)<br>001058.0031   |
| <b>Application Number</b>  | 10/565,982 | <b>Dated</b> January 26, 2006             |
| <b>For</b> INTERMEDIATE SHAFT WITH LOW SLIDING LOAD FOR THE STEERING COLUMN OF A MOTOR VEHICLE   |            |   |
| <b>Art Unit</b>  | 3682       | <b>Examiner</b> W. C. Joyce               |
| This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.<br><br>The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):  |            |   |
| <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <span><u>Fee</u></span> <span><u>Small Entity Fee</u></span> </div>  |            |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))   | \$130      | \$ _____                                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))  | \$490      | \$ _____                                  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))   | \$1110     | \$ 555.00                                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))   | \$1730     | \$ _____                                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))   | \$2350     | \$ _____                                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.<br><input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.<br><input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number <u>23-2185</u> . |            |   |
| <b>WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form.</b><br><b>Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.</b>  |            |   |
| I am the <input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor.<br><input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.<br>Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record. Registration Number <u>46,510</u><br><input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34.<br>Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34 _____   |            |   |
| <u>/Tara L. Marcus/</u><br>Signature   |            | <u>May 21, 2009</u><br>Date               |
| <u>Tara L. Marcus</u><br>Typed or printed name   |            | <u>(202) 772-5800</u><br>Telephone Number |
| NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.  |            |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Total of <u>1</u> forms are submitted.  |            |   |